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SUBJECT: IRISH ASSUMPTION OF EC CHAIR

1. DESK OFFICER DAWKINS WOULD LIKE TO DISCUSS FOLLOWING QUESTIONS DURING TALKS WITH EMBOFFS NOV. 21-22.

A. WILL IRISH KEEP US INFORMED DURING THEIR TENURE IN EC CHAIR AS THE FRENCH HAVE DONE?

B. HOW WILL IRISH NEUTRALITY AFFECT THEIR PERFORMANCE ON ATLANTIC QUESTIONS?

C. WHAT IS PM COSGRAVE'S ATTITUDE TOWARD HOSTING EC?

D. WILL FITZGERALD RUN THE SHOW OUT OF HIS HIP POCKET OR WILL HE DRAW IN MORE OF THE BUREAUCRACY?

E. WHICH IRISH OFFICIALS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR EUROPEAN-ARAB DIALOGUE, CSCE, AND ENERGY?

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F. HAS GOVERNMENT MADE PLANS TO INCREASE NUMBER OF

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SUPPORT PERSONNEL (CLERKS, STENOS, ETC.) AVAILABLE TO VISITING DELEGATIONS?

G. ARE VISITING DELEGATIONS LIKELY TO ENCOUNTER NON-SUBSTANTIVE PROBLEMS WITH COMMUNICATIONS, TRANSPORTATION, ETC.

H. WILL SITUATION IN NORTHERN IRELAND AFFECT IRISH CONDUCT IN CHAIR? INGERSOLL

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